GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:112
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SURVEY OF WATRAK RESERVOIR
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Hydrographic Survey of Watrak reservoir in Gujarat is undertaken by the Central Water Commission; and

(b) if so, the outcome of the survey?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) Yes, Madam. The Hydrographic survey of Watrak reservoir in Gujarat was undertaken by the Central Water Commission during the year 2003.

(b) The reservoir was first impounded in the year 1984. The hydrographic survey of the reservoir indicated that the rate of siltation observed after 19 years of impoundment is 0.728 thousand cubic metre/square kilometer/year.